

Youth Services Survey for Families (YSS-F) - Central Valley Region

Total Number of RECEIVED Surveys

		Frequency
Valid	May 2007	4430

Total Number of COMPLETED Surveys

		Frequency
Valid	May 2007	3121

If the instrument is not completed, the PRIMARY reason must be indicated.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Refused	262	23.6
	Impairment	32	2.9
	Language	42	3.8
	Other	776	69.8
	Total	1112	100.0
Missing		197	
Total		1309	

Demographic Data

Gender

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Female	1258	41.1
	Male	1799	58.8
	Other	2	.1
	Total	3059	100.0
Missing		62	
Total		3121	

Ethnicity

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	African American	426	14.2
	Asian/Pacific Islander	50	1.7
	Hispanic	1144	38.0
	Native American	36	1.2
	White	1065	35.4
	Other	49	1.6
	More than 1 race	239	7.9
	Total	3009	100.0
Missing		112	
Total		3121	

Age Categories

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Less than 5 years old	168	5.6
	5 - 8 years old	701	23.3
	9 - 12 years old	1042	34.7
	13 - 14 years old	495	16.5
	15 - 17 years old	543	18.1
	18 - 21years old	37	1.2
	22 years or older	17	.6
	Total	3003	100.0
Missing		118	
Total		3121	

Service-Related Data

How long has your child received services here?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	This is my first visit here	84	3.2
	> 1 visit, but < one month	146	5.5
	1 to 2 months	325	12.3
	3 to 5 months	482	18.2
	6 months to 1 year	672	25.4
	More than 1 year	934	35.3
	Total	2643	100.0
Missing		478	
Total		3121	

Were the services your child received provided in the language he / she preferred?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	48	1.7
	Yes	2739	98.3
	Total	2787	100.0
Missing	Unknown	334	
Total		3121	

Was written information (e.g., brochures describing available services, your rights as a consumer, and mental health education materials) available to you in the language you prefer?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	75	2.7
	Yes	2670	97.3
	Total	2745	100.0
Missing	Unknown	376	
Total		3121	

Language of instrument

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid English	2808	90.0
Russian	1	.0
Spanish	312	10.0
Total	3121	100.0

Who helped in completing the Survey?

I did not need any help.

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	561	18.0
Yes	2560	82.0
Total	3121	100.0

A mental health advocate / volunteer helped me.

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	3079	98.7
Yes	42	1.3
Total	3121	100.0

Another mental health consumer helped me.

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	3110	99.6
Yes	11	.4
Total	3121	100.0

A member of my family helped me.

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	3046	97.6
Yes	75	2.4
Total	3121	100.0

A professional interviewer helped me.

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	3099	99.3
Yes	22	.7
Total	3121	100.0

My clinician / case manager helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	3052	97.8
	Yes	69	2.2
	Total	3121	100.0

A staff member other than my clinician or case manager helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	3086	98.9
	Yes	35	1.1
	Total	3121	100.0

Someone else helped me.

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	3091	99.0
	Yes	30	1.0
	Total	3121	100.0

Living Situation

Is your child currently living with you?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	118	4.2
	Yes	2716	95.8
	Total	2834	100.0
Missing		287	
Total		3121	

Has your child lived in any of the following places in the last 6 months?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Parent Only	1336	42.8
Family Member Only	120	3.8
Foster Home Only	269	8.6
Therapeutic Foster Home Only	1	.0
Crisis Shelter Only	9	.3
Homeless Shelter Only	9	.3
Group Home Only	37	1.2
Residential Treatment Center Only	11	.4
Hospital Only	10	.3
Local Jail or Detention Facility Only	6	.2
Runaway / Homeless / On the Streets Only	6	.2
Other Only	69	2.2
More than One Living Situation Indicated	354	11.3
No Living Situation Indicated	884	28.3
Total	3121	100.0

Health-Related Data

Does your child have Medi-Cal (Medicaid) insurance?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	193	8.6
Yes	2046	91.4
Total	2239	100.0
Missing	882	
Total	3121	

In the last year, did your child see a medical doctor (or nurse) for a health check-up or because he / she was sick?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Yes, in a clinic or office	1936	73.9
Yes, but only in a hospital emergency room	137	5.2
No	436	16.6
Do not remember	110	4.2
Total	2619	100.0
Missing	502	
Total	3121	

Is your child on medication for emotional / behavioral problems?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1308	50.8
	Yes	1266	49.2
	Total	2574	100.0
Missing		547	
Total		3121	

If YES, did the doctor or nurse tell you and/or your child what side effects to watch for?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	88	7.9
	Yes	1027	92.1
	Total	1115	100.0
Missing		151	
Total		1266	

School Attendance

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, was your child expelled or suspended since beginning services?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1234	79.1
	Yes	327	20.9
	Total	1561	100.0
Missing		148	
Total		1709	

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, was your child expelled or suspended during the 12 months prior to that?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1094	76.7
	Yes	333	23.3
	Total	1427	100.0
Missing		282	
Total		1709	

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, since starting to receive services, the number of days my child was in school is:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Greater	276	23.5
About the same	381	32.4
Less	61	5.2
Does not apply	458	38.9
Total	1176	100.0
Missing	533	
Total	1709	

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, the question regarding the number of days your child was in school does not apply because:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No problem with attendance before starting services	270	74.0
Child is too young to be in school	27	7.4
Child was expelled from school	3	.8
Child is home schooled	23	6.3
Child dropped out of school	22	6.0
Other	20	5.5
Total	365	100.0
Missing	93	
Total	458	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, was your child expelled or suspended during the last 12 months?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	489	69.8
Yes	212	30.2
Total	701	100.0
Missing	233	
Total	934	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, was your child expelled or suspended during the 12 months prior to that?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	502	73.6
Yes	180	26.4
Total	682	100.0
Missing	252	
Total	934	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, over the last year, the number of days my child was in school is:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid Greater	166	28.1
About the same	203	34.3
Less	49	8.3
Does not apply	173	29.3
Total	591	100.0
Missing	343	
Total	934	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, the questions regarding the number of days your child was in school does not apply because:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No problem with attendance before starting services	120	85.7
Child is too young to be in school	1	.7
Child was expelled from school	1	.7
Child is home schooled	12	8.6
Child dropped out of school	3	2.1
Other	3	2.1
Total	140	100.0
Missing	33	
Total	173	

Arrest Information

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, was your child arrested since beginning to receive mental health services?

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid No	1540	96.3
Yes	59	3.7
Total	1599	100.0
Missing	110	
Total	1709	

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, was your child arrested during the 12 months prior to that?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	1523	96.1
	Yes	61	3.9
	Total	1584	100.0
Missing		125	
Total		1709	

If your child has been receiving services for ONE YEAR OR LESS, since your child began to receive mental health services, have their encounters with the police:

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Been reduced	115	8.4
	Stayed the same	57	4.2
	Increased	26	1.9
	Not Applicable (No police encounters this year or last year)	1163	85.5
	Total	1361	100.0
Missing		348	
Total		1709	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, was your child arrested during the last 12 months?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	693	94.5
	Yes	40	5.5
	Total	733	100.0
Missing		201	
Total		934	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, was your child arrested during the 12 months prior to that?

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	No	674	95.7
	Yes	30	4.3
	Total	704	100.0
Missing		230	
Total		934	

If your child has been receiving services for MORE THAN ONE YEAR, over the last year, has your child's encounters with the police:

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid		
Been reduced	67	10.6
Stayed the same	35	5.5
Increased	25	3.9
Not Applicable (No police encounters this year or last year)	506	79.9
Total	633	100.0
Missing	301	
Total	934	

Satisfaction with Services

Perception of Access to Services

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid		
Dissatisfied	43	1.4
Somewhat Dissatisfied	83	2.7
Neutral	353	11.6
Satisfied	1435	47.3
Very Satisfied	1118	36.9
Total	3032	100.0
Missing	89	
Total	3121	

Perception of Cultural Sensitivity

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid		
Dissatisfied	27	1.0
Somewhat Dissatisfied	11	.4
Neutral	76	2.8
Satisfied	1218	45.1
Very Satisfied	1366	50.6
Total	2698	100.0
Missing	423	
Total	3121	

Perception of Participation in Treatment Planning

	Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid		
Dissatisfied	31	1.0
Somewhat Dissatisfied	55	1.8
Neutral	288	9.6
Satisfied	1539	51.2
Very Satisfied	1091	36.3
Total	3004	100.0
Missing	117	
Total	3121	

Perception of Social Connectedness

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	23	.8
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	57	1.9
	Neutral	331	11.1
	Satisfied	1692	56.5
	Very Satisfied	891	29.8
	Total	2994	100.0
Missing		127	
Total		3121	

Perception of Functioning

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	45	1.5
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	164	5.5
	Neutral	919	30.6
	Satisfied	1409	46.9
	Very Satisfied	470	15.6
	Total	3007	100.0
Missing		114	
Total		3121	

Perception of Outcomes

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	41	1.4
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	195	6.5
	Neutral	995	33.3
	Satisfied	1334	44.6
	Very Satisfied	425	14.2
	Total	2990	100.0
Missing		131	
Total		3121	

General Satisfaction

		Frequency	Valid Percent
Valid	Dissatisfied	36	1.2
	Somewhat Dissatisfied	51	1.6
	Neutral	374	12.0
	Satisfied	1528	49.0
	Very Satisfied	1132	36.3
	Total	3121	100.0

Descriptive Statistics for Satisfaction with Services

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
accscale	3032	1.00	5.00	4.2549	.78071
culscale	2698	1.00	5.00	4.4681	.62851
txscale	3004	1.00	5.00	4.2086	.71913
funscale	3007	1.00	5.00	3.7031	.80001
socscale	2994	1.00	5.00	4.1820	.67593
outscale	2990	1.00	5.00	3.6827	.79824
satscale	3121	1.00	5.00	4.2154	.72095
Valid N (listwise)	2400				